

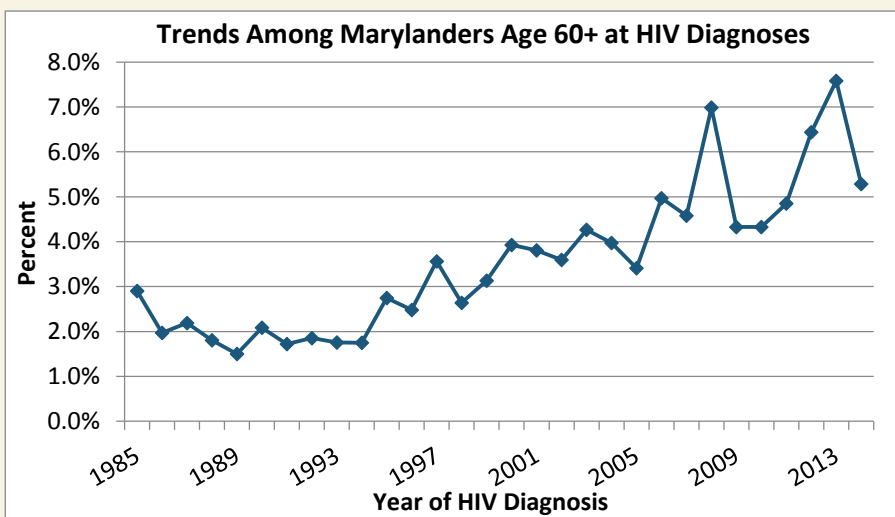


# HIV AMONG PERSONS 60 YEARS AND OLDER IN MARYLAND, 2014

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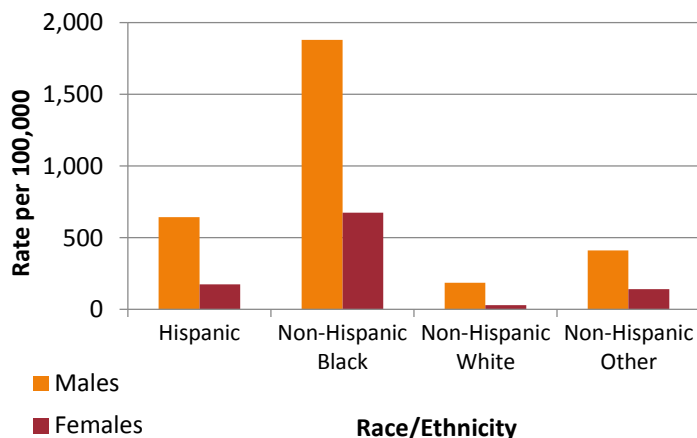
## New HIV Diagnoses

- Individuals **60 years and older** accounted for **5.3% (65)** of the **1,235** reported HIV diagnoses (all ages) in Maryland in **2014**.
- The proportion of new adult/adolescent HIV diagnoses in Maryland per year among those 60 years and older has **increased** from **2.9%** in **1985**, peaking at **7.5%** in **2013** and decreasing to **5.3%** in **2014**.



The case rate among individuals 60+ years in newly reported diagnoses in 2014 was **5.6 cases per 100,000**.

## Living HIV Cases by Sex and Race/Ethnicity (Age 60+)



## Characteristics of Individuals 60+ Years Old

### Living with HIV

- Of the **30,958** total living HIV cases (with or without AIDS, all ages) on 12/31/2014 in Maryland, **14.1% (4,377)** of those were **60 years and older**. In other words, **1 in 267** persons age 60 years and older were reported to be living with HIV.

### Race/Ethnicity

- 74.7% NH Black**
- 17.9% NH White**
- 4.2% NH Other**
- 3.2% Hispanic**



### Gender

- 69.2% Male**
- 30.8% Female**

- 1 in 170 males** and **1 in 484 females** 60 years and older were reported to be living with HIV in Maryland.
- 60.1%** of individuals diagnosed at age 60 years and older with a reported exposure in Maryland were **heterosexual exposure**, **24.2%** were **men who have sex with men**, and **13.7%** were **injection drug users**.
- Of the **4,377** total living HIV cases in Maryland 60 years and older, **46.5% (2,037)** had a **viral load test** result reported in 2014. Of those **2,037** with a reported test result, **84.8%** had a **suppressed viral load**.